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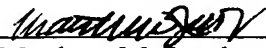
Sir:

Applicants in the above-entitled application hereby claim the date of priority under the International Convention of Japanese Patent Application No. 10-235453, filed August 21, 1998, as acknowledged in the Declaration of this application.

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